

UNMOVED IN
FACE OF DEATHAlbert Wolter Stolid When
Sentenced Today

AN APPEAL WAS ENTERED

This Will Act as a Stay of Execution for
Six Months, at Least—His Con-
cubine, Katie Mueller, Gets a
Home for Present.

New York, April 27.—Judge Foster today sentenced Albert Wolter to electrocution at the Sing Sing prison during the week beginning June 6, for the murder of Ruth Wheeler, a young girl, in his home in this city. An appeal was filed immediately by Wolter's attorney, which will act as a stay of execution, and the sentence will not be carried out for at least six months. Wolter was at once taken to Sing Sing after the appeal had been made. The imposing of the death sentence made no impression on the prisoner, whose attitude throughout the proceedings was that of an interested spectator in the matter.

Katie Mueller, the girl who lived with Wolter, was discharged from the house of detention today. Assistant District Attorney Moss having offered to give the girl a home at his house for the present. In taking his motion yesterday for the girl's release Mr. Moss said:

"I had Katie Mueller brought to my house yesterday, and she had a long talk with my wife and daughter. They were much affected and decided the poor girl should come there. Her only crime is being unfortunate. Mrs. Moss and my daughter decided to fix up the spare room for her and keep her at the house until we can be secured of something better for her in the way of a permanent home."

Justice Foster granted Mr. Moss' motion to release the girl from the house of detention. Several charitable disposed persons have volunteered to take care of the girl, who is very penitent. She is to become a mother. Justice Foster said in summing up: "The stain of it all will be upon her soul till her dying day."

WARLIKE SCENES
TO AMUSE TEDDYFrench Maneuvers To-day and Tomorrow
Stood Up to His Saddle and Chaired
the Sight.

Paris, April 27.—French soldiers fought, cannons wheeled into action and regiments of cuirassiers charged smoking batteries today in honor of Theodore Roosevelt, who rose in his saddle and cheered. This afternoon Roosevelt went to Versailles, and to-night he will see "Chantier."

During the course of yesterday afternoon, Col. Roosevelt received a deputation from the French parliamentarian group for international arbitration, headed by former Premier Leon Bourgeois and Baron D'Estournelles de Constant. The latter, in addressing the ex-president, said he counted upon Col. Roosevelt's influence in the holding of a third peace conference at The Hague. To this Col. Roosevelt replied that his influence could be taken for granted, "but," he added, "you must remember that I am now a private citizen."

"I am a private citizen," said M. Bourgeois.

"I am proud to admit," continued Col. Roosevelt, "that I am the first statesman to make an appeal to The Hague court—in a dispute between the United States and Mexico. A former government official should not give the impression that he believes he is still a government official, but, with this reserve, I am entirely in accord with you upon the necessity of a third Hague conference."

Ambassador and Mrs. Bacon gave a dinner last evening of 28 covers in honor of Col. and Mrs. Roosevelt. The guests included Premier Briand, ex-President and Mme. Loubet, foreign minister and Mme. Pichon, the French ambassador to the United States and Mme. Jusserand, Count Desvignes, M. Lapierre, prefect of Paris, Gen. Dalaunay, military governor of Paris, M. Caron, president of the municipal council, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Montgomery Sears. One of the ex-president's visitors yesterday afternoon was the Indian prince, Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, maharaja of Kapurthala.

GOVERNMENT LEADER UNFIT.

Outwitted by Albanian Generals and Bitter Feeling May Cause His Recall.

Constantinople, via Philadelphia, April 27.—The government today is hastening the mobilization of 60,000 troops to service in Albania, where the 30,000 already there have proved insufficient in suppressing the rebellion. There is bitter feeling against Chief of Pasha, commanding the government troops, who was outwitted by the Albanian generals, which may result in his recall. In a battle yesterday at Blinba, a thousand fell on both sides.

PANAMA CANAL OPENING.

Unofficial Statement Says It Will Open in 1914; Others Make It 1915.

Washington, D. C., April 27.—An unofficial statement today, by the highest authority, says the Panama canal will be opened early in 1914. Even though the earlier date may be possible, the official announcement makes the time 1915. It is thought the reason for setting the date so late is the desire to be certain of making good.

A CRAZED MAN
SHOT AT HIS WIFEFloyd Mason of Fairfield Arrested and
Held in Jail. His Wife Saved Her-
self by Striking Pistol.

St. Albans, April 27.—Floyd Mason of Fairfield, in the Franklin county jail, charged with attempting to murder his wife Monday night, Mrs. Mason's presence of mind in striking the revolver just as her husband pressed the trigger is the only reason she is alive today. Mason also made a desperate effort to shoot his captor, Joseph Young, in the struggle following the shooting, when Young closed with Mason in an effort to disarm him.

The cause of the narrowly averted tragedy is hard to determine, but is probably due to jealousy or insanity. Mason has been on bad terms with his wife for some time and it is said has repeatedly threatened to kill her. Monday he came to this city with his wife and they returned home late in the evening. It appears that all that day Mason was in an ugly mood and threatened his wife several times, promising to kill her when they got home. He shot at his revolver on the way home. It was in good working order. When they reached home he told her he was going to kill her and she got on her knees and began to pray. As he stood over her with the gun pressed to her temple, his attention was attracted to his young son in another room.

When Mason went to look up at his son, his wife hopped out the door and fled to the nearest neighbor, Joseph Young, closely followed by her husband. The back door of the Young house was unlocked and Mrs. Mason plunged through this and started up the back stairs just as her husband entered the door. He grabbed her and, holding the pistol, but a few inches from her head, fired, but his wife knocked the gun up just in time, her only injury being a badly bruised finger.

Mr. Young and his family hearing the shot and disturbance rushed to the scene and Young grappled with Mason, finally disarming him after a long fight, in which Mason attempted to both shoot and cut him. When the gun was torn away from Mason, his wife grabbed it and threw it out the window. Assistance was summoned from the other neighbors and the sheriff's office notified and Mason was ironed and taken to jail.

CRAZED MAN KILLED
WIFE AND HIMSELFHerman M. Clough of Concord, N. H.,
Also Tried to Kill Their Daugh-
ter and Wife's Nurse.

Concord, N. H., April 27.—Herman W. Clough, switchman in the Boston & Maine railroad yards here, killed his wife, Annie J., with an axe in his home at 430 North Spring street, about 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and immediately afterward took his own life by plunging a carving knife into his throat. Clough was 45 years old, and his wife 47.

The tragedy was the work of a man whose mind had been unbalanced by loss of sleep and anxiety over the condition of his invalid wife, and took place in the presence of a 15-year-old daughter, Edith, an only child, and a pupil in the high school, and two nurses.

Clough was a night switchman and a man of exemplary habits. He had complained recently about being deprived of sleep by his wife's illness, and a few nights ago went to the police station and asked permission to be down in one of the cells, which he did Monday his peculiar actions attracted the attention of a neighbor.

Clough went home at midnight that night, and upon rising yesterday forenoon complained again of loss of sleep. He acted somewhat queerly, but betrayed no signs that he contemplated the double tragedy. About 2 o'clock he paid a visit to his widowed mother, Mrs. M. G. Caswell, who lives nearby, and who said he acted strangely.

He was nearly frantic, she said, over the condition of his wife to whom, as well as his daughter, he was devotedly attached.

Returning to his home Clough again retired to his chamber, but about half past four in the afternoon reappeared in the room on the ground floor where his wife was lying in bed. According to the statement of Miss Hodge, a nurse in attendance upon Mrs. Clough, he came only in his shirt and went directly to the washbasin where he secured an axe.

Miss Hodge was frightened as she saw him approaching with the axe in his hand and closing the door so unsuccessfully attempted to prevent his entrance.

He went at once to the bed, and without a word struck his wife a terrible blow on the left side of her head, killing her almost instantly.

Resenting interference on the part of the nurse, Clough turned upon Miss Hodge and tried to strike her with the axe. She pushed him away, however, and with the daughter, Edith, made her escape to the yard.

Clough returned to his room after killing his wife, and the nurse alarmed the neighbors. The insane man quickly returned down stairs and immediately rushed out upon the back porch, where he hanged his head violently against the side of the house.

Re-entering the house he secured a carving knife, which he flourished towards two men, who had come in from the street and tried to restrain him. Breaking from their clutch Clough with incoherent babblings, again rushed into the room with his wife's head, ending his own life with one terrific thrust of the knife in his throat.

He fell upon the floor, the blood gushing in a stream from the wound, and died without a word or scarcely a struggle.

Clough was born in Salem, Mass., and came to Concord in 1879. After a year at school he entered the employ of the railroad, where he continued till his death. His wife was Miss Annie Johnson, a native of Farmington, N. H., and a daughter of John G. Johnson, once high sheriff of Strafford county. A brother, James Johnson, is a baggage master on the railroad between Boston and Stoneham.

OLD WESTON
HIKING ALONGPassed Through Schenectady
This Morning

TO TROY THIS AFTERNOON

He Expects to Complete 55 Miles To-
day, For He Lies Down for a
Rest on His Trip to New
York.

Schenectady, N. Y., April 27.—Edward Payson Weston, who is completing his remarkable walk from Los Angeles to New York, passed through this city this morning at seven o'clock. He will arrive at Troy this afternoon. Weston is in Amsterdam part of last night, having arrived there at 9:05 in the evening on a 48-mile walk from Little Falls. Before he completes the day's itinerary he expects to cover 55 miles, which will take him beyond Troy. If the schedule is continued he will arrive in New York City late on Friday.

New York, April 27.—Mayor Gaynor, himself a pedestrian and of no mean ability, granted permission yesterday afternoon for Edward Payson Weston to tramp triumphantly down Broadway with an escort of police when he arrives in New York the last of this week. Judging by his progress, Weston will reach the upper part of the city late Friday afternoon, 75 days after his start from Los Angeles, 5,400 miles away and 15 days ahead of his schedule.

He will enter the city over the old Boston & Albany post road and will cross King's bridge. Thence he will walk southward with an escort of mounted police, who will meet him at the bridge under an authorization by the mayor and police commission.

At Broadway and 72nd street, the escort will be augmented by policemen from foot, old members of Company B, 7th regiment, N. Y. N. G., of which Weston was formerly a member, and by a band of twenty pieces. Efforts have been made to induce the authorities at Governor's Island to join the escort, but no decision had been reached last night.

Down Broadway Weston will make his way to the city hall, where he will be received by Mayor Gaynor. He will present to his honor a letter from the mayor of Los Angeles and his walk will have been officially completed. A purse subscribed by admirers will then be given him and the ceremony will end.

DESPERATE FIGHT WITH BEAR.
Keeper in Bronx Park Zoo Was Badly
Wounded.

New York, April 27.—With his body badly mangled by teeth and claws and his left arm almost torn from its socket, Richard Spicer, keeper at the Bronx park zoo, was rescued unconscious yesterday afternoon from the bear pit, after a desperate struggle with an angry bear. He was removed to a hospital in a critical condition. Elwyn Sanborn, a photographer, escaped from the pit with minor hurts, after a hard fight with the animal.

Pete, a huge brown Russian bear, which had always been considered mild-tempered, became angered, when being loaded into a box and trundled across the park from his winter quarters to the pit. In the pit, when Spicer attempted to make her sit up and pose for a photographer with her cubs, she sprang upon him. Dealing him a terrible blow with her paw, she then seized him by the arm and dragged him into the den, clashing and mauling him.

Sanborn grabbed an iron bar and rushed to the rescue of Spicer, who was unconscious. Pete, turned on him, but the photographer managed to fight her off with the bar. His screams and the cries of a hundred spectators brought other attendants, who beat off the bear and rescued the imperiled man.

HAVE \$2,694.47 DEBTS
BUT NO ASSETSMoguin Bros., Swanton Merchants, Filed
in Bankruptcy To-day Both As
a Firm and As Individ-
uals.

Rutland, April 27.—Moguin Brothers of Swanton, merchants, today filed a petition in bankruptcy with the clerk of the United States court. Their liabilities are \$2,694.47, with no assets. The members of the firm also filed in bankruptcy individually.

MISFORTUNES FOR HARVARD.
Varsity Track Team Loses More of Its
Members.

Cambridge, Mass., April 27.—Misfortunes have been piling up on the Harvard varsity track team, and last night further discouraging reports were received. To top the loss of B. C. Foster, last year's intercollegiate 100 and 220-yards dash champion, came last night the statement that J. H. Storer, winner of the short dash at the spring track games, and who had been looked to fill, in part, Foster's place, had also strained a tendon, which will prevent competition during the track meet season.

W. H. Lacy, of whom much was expected in the mile, is in the hospital suffering with scarlet fever. Capt. C. Little has been forced to abandon the shot put, at which he won the intercollegiate championship last fall, owing to a bad wrist. J. L. Burt, winner of second place in the pole vault, has been forced out of competition for the same reason; and Herbert Jacques, the crack one and two-miler, is but just recovering from an illness.

Instead of another championship team, the supporters of the Crimson expect only third of fourth place in the intercollegiate.

STATE N. E. O. P. ELECTS
ITS NEW OFFICERSH. R. Hill of Burlington Succeeds E. A.
Bugbee of Barre as Grand Warden.Convention at Burlington
Ended.

Burlington, April 27.—Just prior to the adjournment of the grand lodge of Vermont, New England Order of Protection, yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected:

Grand warden, H. R. Hill, Burlington; grand vice warden, F. B. Hooker of St. Johnsbury; grand secretary, H. A. Bartlett of St. Johnsbury; grand treasurer, J. L. Davis of Burlington; grand chaplain, Mrs. G. J. McCutchen of Northfield; grand guide, Mrs. May A. Heath of St. Johnsbury; grand guardian, Mrs. Helen Herrick of Springfield; grand sentinel, W. J. Greene of Bennington; grand trustees, Mrs. Katherine Taylor of Rutland, W. J. Lawrence of Montpelier, Mrs. Mary Ring of Montpelier; committee on finance, Henry H. Dams of Bennington, A. J. Goss of West Danville, H. E. Byron of St. Johnsbury; committee on laws, C. T. S. Pierce of Vergennes, L. G. Barnham of Burlington, H. S. Bush of Barre; committee on appeals, Mrs. P. J. Foster of Rutland, A. C. Shufelt of St. Albans, C. M. Sawyer of Hardwick; committee on credentials, P. J. Foster of Rutland, P. R. Ellis of Morrisville, Mrs. James Clark of Rutland, representatives to the supreme lodge, E. A. Bugbee of Barre, L. G. Barnham of Burlington, T. S. Pierce of Vergennes, Mrs. W. F. Mixer of Brattleboro, Mrs. Anna Coppa of Rutland.

The roll of honor, comprising the lodges in the state which have a membership of 100 or more, are as follows: Grand Mountain of St. Johnsbury, 485; Standard of Montpelier, 387; Valoisians of Bennington, 271; Barre of Barre, 274; Evergreen of Hardwick, 232; Marble of Rutland, 193; Brattleboro of Brattleboro, 182; Lamelle of Morrisville, 171; Vermont of Burlington, 154; Summit of Granville, 120.

BENWARE SENTENCED
AND TAKES APPEALFormer Chauffeur of Governor Prouty
Who Ran Down Hector Mongeon
in Burlington Last Sum-
mer.

Burlington, April 27.—In Chittenden county court yesterday afternoon sentence was pronounced on William Henry Benware, who was found guilty of assault and battery, for sentence being that he pay a fine of \$400 and taxable costs amounting to \$109.82. The matter of sentence is stayed and exceptions will be entered in the dockets.

Mr. Benware was first charged with manslaughter, it being alleged that on the night of July 6, 1909, while acting as chauffeur for Gov. G. H. Prouty, he ran down Hector Mongeon of St. Hyacinthe, Que., at the corner of South Champlain and College streets, this city, which accident caused the death of Mr. Mongeon. The jury in the case, after much deliberation and instruction from the court, rendered a verdict of guilty of assault and battery.

Exceptions were taken to the sentence by the counsel for the respondent on the grounds that it was illegal as an evidence had been introduced in the case tending to show there was assault and battery. Witness fees in the case amounted to over \$400, but this can not be entered as taxable costs against the respondent.

SEEN IN BRATTLEBORO?

George A. Doyle, Missing Roxbury, Mass.,
Youth.

Brattleboro, April 27.—The boy believed to be George A. Doyle, missing from Roxbury since April 8, appeared in Brattleboro last Saturday and stayed at the Brattleboro house over night. He registered as Walter Lackey, but did not indicate on the register his home town or city. He was accompanied by a boy taller and thinner than himself, the identity of whom is not known.

Lackey expressed a desire to stay at the hotel, but admitted his inability to do so when the hotel rate was mentioned to him. His baggage consisted solely of an alarm clock. He and his companion left Sunday forenoon and nothing has been seen of them since whereabouts, so far as known. No official committee has come to the local police in regard to the boy, or an effort to be on the watch for him, but with such information as they have the police are doing what they can to find or learn where he is.

TOO SICK TO APPEAR.
Respondent's Case Put Over on Doctor's
Recommendation.

Rutland, April 27.—Judge A. A. Hall in Rutland county court yesterday granted a continuance until next fall, which was fought for so hard Monday, in the Gorman pickpocket case. His action was the result of the report of Dr. Charles S. Caverly of this city, who was sent to Troy, N. Y. Monday night to examine Joseph Gorman, one of the respondents, because of whose illness continuance was asked. Dr. Caverly said that Mr. Gorman is suffering from articular rheumatism and that it would be dangerous for him to come to Rutland. The case will be the first set for trial at the September term of court.

STOLEN HORSE SENT BACK

But the Steals Fowls Have Still to Be Returned.

Rutland, April 27.—Thieves stole a horse and buggy from the barn of Jesse C. White and also 15 hens from the farm of Homer L. Hoag, less than half a mile apart, at North Greenboro Monday night. They entered both the White barn and the Hoag chicken house by picking the locks, and it is believed that both pieces of work were done by the same persons.

The horse and buggy returned home without any driver yesterday morning at six o'clock, and it is believed that the thieves turned it loose after getting safely away with the fowls.

"WHITE SLAVE"
BUSINESSIs Alleged in Charge Made at
Newport

MAN IS HELD FOR U. S. JURY

E. Zarcy of Magog is Charged with
Bringing Girl into Vermont for
Immoral Purposes—Arraigned
Before U. S. Commissioner.

Newport, April 27.—At a hearing yesterday afternoon before United States Commissioner John Young in this place, Eugene Zarcy of Magog, who was charged with bringing a girl, named Rosa Mardel, into the United States for immoral purposes, was arraigned. The respondent entered examination and was bound over to the May term of the United States grand jury, sitting at Windsor. The two parties were apprehended by Immigration Inspector W. H. Parker.

MORE DIVORCES
GIVEN OUT TODAYWhile One Was Dismissed and One Was
Amended—Desertion Is the Chief
Cause for Action.

In Washington county court this morning the following divorces were granted: Clara M. B. Lowe from Harry Lowe, for desertion.

Mary Laine from Bert Laine, for desertion; custody of minor child granted petitioner.

Mabel Eskine from Fred L. Eskine, for desertion.

Mary Louvier from James Louvier, for intolerable severity.

Mary Westover from I. E. Westover, for desertion.

Mortie Amaral from Antenn Amaral, for intolerable severity.

The petition of William Bassett for divorce from Martha Bassett was dismissed; and the allegation of adultery in the petition of Alex. K. Brigham vs. Annie Brigham was dismissed, and the case as to desertion was continued.

The petitions of Templeton vs. Templeton, Calloun vs. Calloun and LeClair vs. LeClair were heard today.

ST. ALBANS LICENSES
GIVEN OUT TODAYThere Is Only One Change from the Pre-
sent List—Four Hotels Get First-
class Privileges.

St. Albans, April 27.—Following an extended hearing this morning, the license commissioners of this city awarded liquor licenses for the coming year, all the successful applicants being present holders of licenses except one, who is M. Driscoll. The other second-class holder is J. J. Thompson.

The first-class licensees are W. H. Larry of the Central house, H. A. Dunbar of the American house, Owen Maroon of the St. Albans house and A. Oligny of the Commercial house.

MADE AGREEMENT
To Put Flagman at Dangerous Crossing
in Montpelier.

The Vermont public service commission met at Montpelier this forenoon to consider the petition for protection of the public at the Taylor street crossing of the Central Vermont railroad in Montpelier, and an agreement was made that an agreement had been reached, whereby a flagman is to be stationed at the crossing.

NATIONAL WOOLLEN COMPANY LOST HEAVILY
By Fire.

Waterville, Me., April 27.—Damage estimated at between \$25,000 and \$30,000 was caused by smoke and water to stock and machinery yesterday in a fire, which damaged a two-story wooden building occupied by the National Woollen company. The company manufactures felt. The fire started from spontaneous combustion in the coal bin.

DRUGGIST PLEADS GUILTY
To Violation of Fifth Class License in
Rutland.

Rutland, April 27.—William W. Pratt, of the drug firm of Pratt & Levin of this city, pleaded guilty in Rutland county court late yesterday of selling liquor contrary to the terms of his fifth-class license. He was indicted last fall but was sick at the time and the case has been held over, the firm retaining his license.

KETCHEL THE FAVORITE.
Six to Five Shot Over Langford for To-
night's Bout.

Philadelphia, April 27.—Ketchel is a six to five favorite over Langford today for their fight to-night. There is plenty of Langford money. The fighters will weigh in at 165 pounds. Jack McGuigan will be the referee.

GRAFT TRIALS ENDED.
Petit Jurors Discharged—Decision Caped
Sensation.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 27.—The entire panel of petit jurors, except those deliberating the case of former Councilman Coffey, have been discharged by Judge Fraser and the announcement has been made that there will be no more graft trials for the present. The decision caused a sensation.

THEY ATE AND DANCED,
DID THERE CLERKSAnnual Banquet and Ball of Barre As-
sociation Was Held Last Night
and Was a Very Enjoyable
Occasion.

Barre's popular clerks, members of local 241, R. C. I. P. A., held their eleventh annual banquet and dance last evening and registered one of the most enjoyable social occasions that the association has ever held. The banquet was served at the City hotel, and the dancing followed at the Woodmen's hall. Riley's orchestra of four pieces furnished excellent music for the dance and also played during the banquet.

A jolly company, numbering about 75, sat down to the banquet tables and from 7 o'clock until 9, feasted on the good things provided by Landford W. H. Snow. The following is the menu which was served: grape fruit, dressed celery, cold olives, cold radishes, dressed lettuce, cold ham, cold tongue, roast Vermont turkey, cranberry jelly, fruit salad, cream dressing, Parker house rolls, cream potatoes, French peas, strawberry ice cream, assorted cake, oranges, apples, bananas, assorted nuts, layer raisins, saltines, sage cheese, coffee, cigars.

At 9 o'clock the company adjourned to the hall, where they danced until midnight and enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. The clerk's committee, which had the occasion in charge and to whom a good share of credit for its success is due, was comprised of Miss Mary Bosworth, Miss Bernice Pitkin, Miss Rose Cook, George Kent, John T. Callaghan, Fred Hall and W. H. Eagar. The officer of the association are, W. H. Eagar, president; Fred Hall, 1st vice-president; George Kent, 2nd vice-president; A. L. Pierce, recorder; H. J. Houghton, financial secretary; C. S. Wallace, treasurer.

MACHINIST KILLED
IN RUTLAND SHOPAlexander Keefe Caught in Shafting.
He Had Just Resumed Work After
a Layoff On Account of Sick-
ness.

Rutland, April 27.—Alexander Keefe of this city, a machinist, aged about 48, was caught in a shafting at the Rutland railroad repair shop here about six o'clock last night and so badly injured that he died an hour later at the hospital. He had been ill and on layoff from work Monday. Mr. Keefe leaves his wife and two children. Mrs. Keefe is a sister of Mrs. James B. Wheeler, whose husband died a week ago.

DEATH OF GEORGE FINDLATER.
Was Formerly in Granite Manufacturing
Business.

George Findlater died at his home, 39 Warren street, at 10:30 o'clock last night after a two years' illness with consumption. Mr. Findlater was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, 27 years ago last August. He came to Barre to reside 10 years ago. He followed his trade as stone cutter for several years and later entered the firm of Phillips, Findlater & Co., granite manufacturers, his brother, James, also being a member of the firm. When taken sick a little over two years ago he retired from the firm.

He leaves to mourn his loss, a wife and two young children, his parents, two sisters and a brother in Scotland, a brother, William, of this city and another brother, James, who now resides in Des Moines, Ia. He was a member of Granite lodge, No. 33, F. & A. M., and of Court Granite City, No. 3, Foresters of America. The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

C. E. Bixby went to Burlington today on a business visit.

R. A. Hoar and E. L. Scott are moving their law offices from the Miles block into the House Bros. & Case block this week. The two attorneys have fine offices adjoining each other on the second floor and on the Keith avenue side of the block.

Thurman W. Dix, who went to the university of Vermont from Spaulding high school, and who since his graduation from college two years ago has been instructor in the civil engineering department there, has now resigned to accept a position with the New York state large canal.

Among the arrivals at the City hotel last night and today were S. A. T. Spencer, Manchester, N. H.; E. C. Wells, Stowe, N. H.; Anne Boston, George Oakwell, Boston; D. G. S. Bushnell, Burlington; Capt. L. A. Chapman, Northfield; Newell Barber, Northfield; C. L. O'Callahan, Waterbury; F. C. Rice, Boston; F. T. Peabody, Boston; E. L. Chaffin, Randolph; M. U. Myers, Boston; I. C. Neil, Boston.

Among the arrivals at the Hotel Otis yesterday were Michael D. Hayes, Middlebury; C. D. Strout, Boston; F. G. Ranney, Boston; B. R. Ormsville, Boston; W. E. Lackey, White River Junction; George F. McCurdy, Boston; C. H. Johnson, Boston; J. A. Hunter, St. Johnsbury; George S. Foster, St. Albans; E. M. Walker, Portland, Me.; H. J. Johnson, Spencer, Ia.; I. D. Koffman, Hallowell, Me.; Henry F. Miller, North Adams, Mass.; H. P. Prindle, Burlington; W. C. Marshall, Boston; G. A. Allen, Pittsburg, N. H.; J. A. Sheehan, Brattleboro; Charles Bailey, Brattleboro; Robert Norton, Claremont, N. H.; H. M. Cutler, Boston; C. H. Kimball, St. Johnsbury; William Richardson, Boston; Albert Lawrence, Middlebury, Ct.; Charles H. Paine, Grand Rapids, Mich.; W. H. Cook, Berlin, W. J. Sullivan, Rockland, Me.; A. E. Evans, Ash Grove, S. E. Aldrich, Vershire.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED.
Town Destroyed in Effort to Oust Rebels
from Godants.

Salonica, April 27.—Dispatches from Goinates, Albania, say that 300 Albanians, mostly women and children, were killed in the Turkish bombardment of Godants, in an effort to oust the forces of rebel Albanian tribesmen. The town was practically destroyed.

DEFAULTER PLEADED GUILTY.
Clarence Daddum Sentenced to Three to
Five Years of Hard Labor.

Dedham, Mass., April 27.—Clarence Daddum, the defaulting tax collector of Woburn, to the amount of \$7,000, sentenced today by Judge Hiltobrock to from three to five years of hard labor, pleaded guilty.

\$50 JANITOR
BID ACCEPTEDG. A. Bemis Got it Out of 21
Applicants

CONTRACT TO BE DRAWN

The Aldermen Met Last Night and Con-
sidered Routine Business Mostly.
The City Council Meets To-
night.

Mostly routine business was done by five of the six aldermen at the regular meeting of the board last night, but the scenes were set for more important doings at the meeting of the city council to-night, when the matter of transfer of the "common" at "Gospel village," the hard appropriation and the change in the river bed are scheduled to come up, together with some other matters. Alderman Ewen was the absentee last night.

Weekly warrants for the various departments were drawn and ordered paid, and along with them a warrant for \$800 as interest on the \$30,000 refunding bonds, and a bill of \$144.00 to the N. D. Phelps company for the same.

It was announced by the property committee that G. A. Bemis' bid for the city hall janitorship was the best out of 27, it being for \$50 a month, and the committee was ordered to bring a contract, covering it, before the council for final action.

There were several references to committees; to the water committee, the application of A. M. Morrison for water pipe extension on Batchelder street, to report, with recommendations; to the finance committee, the applications of Applicant A. Co. for lunch-room license at 155 North Main street, of Henry Divers, lunch and pool room on North Main street, of M. Deet for lunch-room license; to the street committee, the petition of Elmwood avenue residents for some kind of a sidewalk, with power to act; so the property committee the proposition of Fred Hayden to rent city land on upper Merchant street, and to report this evening.

Another matter referred was the proposed F. A. Cragg smokehouse on Hill street and what the residents call a nuisance, viz., the burying of deerskins on a half acre, or slightly more, of land. C. W. Ball presented a petition, asking that Mr. Cragg be not allowed to build a smokehouse on said land.

He said that three smokehouses there had already burned, and that the fish were not buried deep enough so that when dogs came and dug them up, afterwards, drew the larvae with the remains. The health committee and the board of health were ordered to investigate, and until they report the permit to build the smokehouse was voted withheld, a previous motion having been rescinded. Building Inspector Field had reported favorably on the application of Mr. Cragg.

The inspector last night reported favorably on the following applications, and the permits were ordered granted: Francesco Morandi, house at 83 Smith street; G. Galpi